

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

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Seymour

Group Art Unit: 1636

Appln. No.: 10/009,347

Examiner: G. G. Leffers Jr.

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**AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to an official action dated March 10, 2005, wherein the pending claims were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, first and second paragraphs. The applicant respectfully traverses in view of the following amendment and remarks.

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